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ROYAL LADIES HEAD TO WADE TO SHORE

Boat From Wrecked Delhi Capsized Near Beach

BRAVE THROUGH IT ALL

King's Sister and Her Daughters Well This Morning After Trying Experience of Yesterday—Lucky Ring to One Young Princess

(Canadian Press)

Gibraltar, Dec. 14.—All the members of a royal party, who suffered such terrible experiences during their landing from the wreck of the S. S. Delhi off Cape Verde, yesterday, are reported to be well this morning, although they are much exhausted. The royal ladies were perfectly calm, and went among the passengers, using the wreck. Amusement was caused by a gentleman, who gave one of the young princesses a lucky ring, saying her hat no harm could come to the owner while wearing it. The princess immediately put the ring on her finger. When the royal party returned to leave the ship on the first French boat that came out, went ashore attended by Admiral Raddock. When close to the beach, the boat capsized. All waded through the surf, after being tossed about for several minutes. The princess showed great luck all through.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Berlin, Dec. 14.—A special news despatch says that the Sultan Abdul Hamid has been brought back to Constantinople from Saloniki. He is said to be extremely ill. Nassau, Bahamas Islands, Dec. 13.—An unknown French bark, it was reported today, was seen off near Long Island. She sank in eight fathoms of water. Manila, Philippines, Dec. 14.—Forty-two more outbreaks were filed here today in an engagement with United States troops. There were no fatalities on the American side. Montreal, Que., Dec. 14.—James Power, legislator, aged eighty-two, died today. He was a director on many boards, president of the International Coal Company, a member of the boards of Malson's bank, Canada Accident Insurance Co., and Sun Life of Canada. The international police committee has sent a circular to all the countries signatory to the Hague convention, inviting a collective movement on their part for stopping Russia's military action against Persia. The committee says that the trouble between Russia and Persia is a matter that is essentially suitable for arbitration.

APE BRETON COLLIERIES SOLD TO BOSTON MEN

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 14.—(Special)—The north Atlantic collieries Cape Breton, were today sold to foreign buyers and were purchased by Stone & Webster of Boston, for \$500,000.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Toronto, Montreal, and Boston. Includes columns for Max, Min, Dir, and Vel.

SEEM TO LIKE SYDNEY FOR SHIP PLANT

British Canadian Company Promoter Says Likely to Be There

DELEGATION ON VISIT

Want Twenty Year Tax Exemption and Other Concessions Before Deciding—Disappointed at Setback Given Naval Policy by the Elections

(Canadian Press)

Montreal, Que., Dec. 14.—That Sydney, N. S., is almost certain to be chosen as the location of the British Canadian Company's establishment of a shipbuilding and repair plant, is the opinion of a delegation of the directors of the company, who are on their way to Sydney today. The company, which was organized in 1906, is the first of its kind in Canada. It is the largest shipbuilding plant in the world. The company is headed by Sir Henry Pellatt and Governor Mortimer Gibson, who will be in Sydney today or tomorrow. The company is interested in a twenty year tax exemption and other concessions. The company is disappointed at the setback given naval policy by the elections. The company is also interested in a twenty year tax exemption and other concessions. The company is disappointed at the setback given naval policy by the elections.

CATHOLIC BODY'S ACTION

Section of Council of Instruction Now Approves Principle of Free Text Books in Catholic Schools of Province—Legislation is Fore-shadowed

(Canadian Press)

Montreal, Dec. 14.—That free text books for the schools of the province may receive the approval of the legislative assembly and finally settle a question which has been a live issue in Quebec political circles, has been rendered possible by the action of the Catholic section of the council of instruction for Quebec. At their last session, this body, which is composed of the episcopal dignitaries of the province and many distinguished laymen of the same faith, approved of a resolution favoring the principle of free text books for the Catholic schools of the province. The resolution of the council of public instruction does not call upon the government to decree the absolute freedom of text books, but that such policy may depend upon the action of the respective municipalities. It is understood that a measure will be introduced at the coming session of the legislature by one of Sir Lomer Gouin's ministers, decreasing the principle of free text books to the extent that the municipalities pay their share. The only dissenting voice to this resolution was that of M. J. Tardif, who is a member of the opposition in the provincial assembly, on the ground that the resolution would not benefit the free text book project of education in the province. A live question in Quebec political discussion for many years. In fact Hon. Felix Marchand, minister of education in this province, and the speech from the throne at the following session contained a paragraph favoring the creation of such text books to follow. The province in fact was a case of a crisis. Hon. J. A. Chapleau was lieutenant-governor of the province and a cable was received at Spencerwood from Rome showing considerable hostility to the paragraph in the speech from the throne. His Honor showed the message to Premier Marchand, who replied that matters have gone too far, and that he would resign rather than that part of the programme, but no further action followed.

MRS. THAW PAYS \$20,000 FOR THE RECOVERY OF JEWELS

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—The greater part of the \$300,000 worth of jewels, including the famous pearl necklace of the Thaw family with its clasp of black pearls fashioned in the shape of a bunch of grapes, which were stolen from the Lincoln avenue home of Mrs. William Thaw, Jr., last winter, have been recovered by the payment of \$20,000 by Mrs. Thaw. The inner social circles of Pittsburg are stirred as it has seldom been before because of the mysterious circumstances surrounding the recovery of the gems. Mrs. Thaw is the widow of Harry Thaw's elder brother. Mrs. Thaw has confided to a few of her friends the circumstances of the return of the gems. "A man connected with the Pittsburg police department whom I trust, came to me," she said, "and told me he had learned of the whereabouts of my jewels—lost some of them. He said to me, 'I am not in a position, nor have I proof to arrest or throw suspicion on the man I suspect and accused him, but he denied it. Since then it has become known that I am still investigating this case, and from a source that I have sworn not to divulge, a proposition has been made to you through me. It is that you pay \$20,000 for the recovery of the necklace, although I cannot guarantee that any of the other articles will be returned.' 'When this proposal was made to me I was told that there must be quick action. 'You must decide immediately whether you will accept the offer,' said the man. 'The people who have the jewels need the money quick. Unless you accept, the necklace will be broken and the pearls sold one by one through Europe.' 'MORE THAN THEY CAN TAKE' The third class accommodation on the S. S. Empress of Ireland, which will sail for Liverpool tomorrow, has been overbooked and an effort is being made to get enough of the passengers away on the Corcoran, this afternoon to enable the C. P. R. to handle the balance on the Empress.

FATALITY AT GIBSON FIRE

Alfred Gill Killed in Fighting Flames—Believed Burglars Stated Blaze—A Fredericton Surprise

(Special)

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 14.—(Special)—The store of G. E. Wade of Gibson was destroyed by fire early this morning. The firemen turned out promptly and were able to save the adjoining property. The fire started in front of the store and there is suspicion that the place was burglarized and then set on fire. A dwelling house near by, occupied by Mrs. Gill, caught several times. Her son Alfred who had climbed to the roof to fight the flames fell from a ladder and received internal injuries from which he died two hours later. Mr. Wade's loss will be upwards of \$1,000. The city council at a special meeting last night appointed George R. Perkins city treasurer in succession to the late J. R. Gouding. The appointment came as a surprise as it was thought that Matthew Tennant would get the position. One alternative was to have J. R. Gouding re-elected and the council divided five to four in favor of Perkins. One alternative who favored Tennant was absent through illness. The weather turned quiet cold last night and has made good skating on the river.

LIBEL CASE BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MCKEOWN

Kent County Matter Taken Up—A Workman's Compensation Case

Death of Noted Woman in England

Mrs. Arthur Stannard, Novelist, Passes Away After Five Months Illness

FARMERS SUPPER AND THOSE IN CHARGE OF IT

In Temple Building, North End, this evening a Farmers' Supper is to be held by the ladies of Main street Baptist church, for the purpose of augmenting the fund for enlarging the Sunday school room, the need for better accommodation having become quite apparent through the increases made in the attendance, especially during the winter months. Already a list of names has been secured but much more is required. It is not known as yet whether or not the present structure, or to erect an entirely distinct school room, but in order to accommodate the increasing scholars, it is realized that some action must be taken. The supper this evening will be in charge of Mrs. J. F. Graville, and there will be three long tables, presided over by Mrs. H. Prime and Mrs. H. Sharp at No. 1, Mrs. Innor and Mrs. M. Horne at No. 2, and Mrs. Z. Wilson and Mrs. D. Hutchinson at No. 3. The following will act as waitresses: Mrs. James Letticey, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. H. Crabbe, Mrs. R. Burke, Miss E. Briggs, K. McClary, M. White, H. Burke, J. White, E. Crabbe, and H. Dunham. There will also be a sale of calendars, attended to by Miss Elsie Eddy.

WOMAN, TWO GIRLS AND SON SLAIN

Missing Italian Farm Hand Suspected of Wholesale Murder Near Albany

BODIES BURIED IN BARN

Mother and Daughters Crushed Into Small Pit and Son's Body Under Floor—Quebec Hears of Murder in Lone Hut

(Canadian Press)

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Some time between last Tuesday noon and evening, an Italian farm hand, employed by the Morner family of DeForestville, a hamlet, six miles from Albany, is believed by the police to have slain Mrs. Conrad Morner, her daughter, Edith, aged eight, and Blanche, aged seventeen, and her twenty-eight year old son, Arthur. The bodies of the three women were discovered late last night in the gloomy barn on the Morner farm, where they had been so hacked with a hatchet and battered with a bale stick, that the murderer had been able to crush all three of them into a small manure pit, on one side of the stable, and trace of the farm hand, who is known as Ed. Dennis is lacking. The body of Arthur Morner, mutilated and with throat cut, was found under another part of the barn four at nine o'clock today by Sheriff Oxtell's searchers. Quebec, Dec. 14.—Latest news from Bay St. Paul shows that the discovery of the body of an unknown man in an abandoned trap, near that place points to a terrible tragedy. The most foul murder was committed is evident by the horribly mutilated remains of the unknown man and a blood smeared coat lying by the body upon which also were found hairs from the head of the victim. It is thought that the body of the slain man has lain in the hut since the 23rd or 24th of October last. The murdered man had been hacked with an axe and his skull had also been crushed, evidently with a hammer. Rata had discovered the body and both hands were almost gnawed away. There is no clue to the identity of the man.

SCHOONER MOWEEN LOST ON POLLOCK POINT ON LUNENBURG COAST

Crew Are Saved—Three Get Ashore in Dory After All Night in a Fog

CHINESE FINANCES

An Attack Made by Shanghai Paper Upon the "Four Power Financiers"

BICYCLE RIDERS ARE GOING BEHIND RECORD

New York, Dec. 14.—A badly battered lot of riders were pedaling their weary way around the saucer track at Madison Square Garden today, but eight of the original fifteen teams still race, and five teams had a fighting chance. The succession of accidents and consequent delays, had left the contestants at eight o'clock, fourteen miles and one lap behind the record. Karl Saldow, of the German team, struck a beer glass, dropped a moment before by a careless waiter, who was running across the track. Saldow was thrown against the inside fence, and picked up unconscious, but he soon revived, and it was said he would be able to continue. Champion Krumer, with a hurt left shoulder, and John Bell, whose head frame was broken and whose right arm and shoulder were bruised during a sprint, are in the worst condition, so far as injuries go, but both took their regular turns when called upon by their trainers. MEDICAL INSPECTION IN SCHOOLS IN TORONTO Physical Defects in More Than Half the Pupils Examined Toronto, Ont., Dec. 14.—In 4,744 medical inspections of school children as reported by Dr. Struthers to the management committee of the board of education today, there were 2,602 physical defects found. Defective vision was discovered in 1,575 cases. OTAWA FREE PRESS.—Hon. J. D. and Mrs. Hazen and their two daughters, will spend Christmas at their home in St. John.

JURY BEGINS ITS INVESTIGATION

Probing Dynamiting of Buildings in States

IT'S A LONG LIST

From Massachusetts to the Pacific Coast and From 1905 up to Last Year—McManis's Confession Will Have an Important Part

(Canadian Press)

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 14.—After weeks of preliminary work, and probing by government agents in many parts of the country, where explosions have taken place, the federal grand jury was today to begin its investigation of an alleged nationwide conspiracy by which more than 100 structures were blown up and in which dynamite, nitro-glycerine and other explosives were carried into at least 17 states. A detailed list of 100 explosions in structures erected by firms employing non-union workmen, as furnished to the government by the National Directors' Association, was prepared for the grand jury. The list beginning with explosions of structural works in Massachusetts and Connecticut in the summer of 1906, cites the damage done up until 1911 and points out, as indicating participation of others that John and James B. McNamara, and Orrie E. McManis, that crimes of this nature were perpetrated in seventeen states. The explosions began two years prior to the employment by the McNamaras of McManis, who according to his confession, blew up his first building in Detroit in June, 1907, "with twenty sticks of dynamite," and they extend into the present year several months after the arrest of the McNamaras. There were two explosions in 1905, eight in 1906, six in 1907, twenty-six in 1908, twenty in 1909, twenty-five in 1910, and thirteen in 1911. They occurred in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Maryland, Wisconsin, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Utah, Washington and California. The announcement that W. E. Griffis, chief of police of Kansas City, who had arrived here late today, prepared to testify concerning various explosions in Kansas City, drew attention to the important part which the confession of McManis is to play in the probe being conducted. McManis in his confession quoted, at least, one of the Kansas dates saying: "On August 23rd I pulled off the McChilton-Marshall job at Kansas City. I did not see L. J. McNamara, although he was in town at the time. From Kansas City, I returned to Indianapolis on August 20 or 30, 1910 at which time he paid me for doing the Kansas City job, and asked me to return to Indianapolis getting back the clocks that did not get off."

HOME RULE BILL NOT TO BE PUBLIC TILL AFTER XMAS

London, Dec. 14.—Replying to a question by Waldorf Astor, Unionist member for Plymouth, in the House of Commons last night, Mr. Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, said the home rule bill had been drafted, but would not be made public before the adjournment of parliament for the Christmas holidays. London, Dec. 14.—It has been decided by practically all the railways in Great Britain, to increase the excursion and commutation fares by from seven to ten per cent, after January 1. This increase is made necessary, they say, by the raising of the wages of their employees. IN THREE SECTIONS. Owing to the large number of steamboat passengers arriving for the S. S. Corsican and Empress of Ireland today, the Montreal train was brought in in three sections. Two of them went to west side. At half past nine tomorrow morning a special train will have the depot for the west side with passengers for the Empress of Ireland, which will sail tomorrow. LONGSHOREMAN HURT. Hugh Gouley, a longshoreman employed on the steamer Empress of Ireland, was seriously injured yesterday. He was struck by a sling of deals and knocked into the hold. Although no bones were broken his condition is serious and shows no improvement today. He was taken to his home. HOTEL CASE. The case of the Dufferin Hotel, charged with not complying with the law in regard to having a clear view of the bar on the premises was still in the police court at the time of going to press this afternoon. SPRAINED ANKLE. Harry Reynolds, one of the shunting crews on the I. C. R., while stepping off a moving engine yesterday, caught his foot and in falling sprained his ankle. DOXATION OF \$100. The treasurer of the St. John Protestant Orphan Home has received a liberal donation of \$100 from the Hon. J. A. Ellis in aid of the institution.

MONTEFORT HAD ROUGH TIME OF IT

C. P. R. Liner Arrived at Sand Point Today From Antwerp

HAS 174 ABOARD

Corsican Away This Afternoon With About 1,000 Passengers—And Empress Will Take Away More than 1,500 Tomorrow

(Canadian Press)

The C. P. R. liner Montefort, Captain Anderson, docked at Sand Point at eleven o'clock this morning. She came from Antwerp direct and was fifteen days making the trip, having left the other side on Nov. 29. The chief cause of the delay of a day was the rough weather. After she was a day out from Antwerp the rough weather started and continued almost all the way. There were 174 passengers on board, mostly steerage. The passengers were of various nationalities and are all going west to seek their fortunes. They were landed just as soon as the steamer was berthed and will be sent forward in special trains this afternoon. They are a fine healthy looking class. Nearly all the officers of the Montefort were here last season. Captain Anderson is especially well known at this port and has many friends here who will welcome him back. The Montefort brought out a large general cargo, principally goods for Christmas. The Allan R. liner Corsican, Captain Cook, will sail this afternoon at five o'clock for Liverpool direct with about 1,000 passengers and a large general cargo. The loading was practically finished at noon, but the tide did not permit of her getting away then. There will be about 800 steerage passengers, 200 second cabin and 30 saloon passengers on board. The Allan R. liner Empress of Ireland, Captain Porter, will sail from here tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock with some 1,200 passengers and a heavy cargo. The passengers include seventy-five saloon, 500 second cabin and 1,000 steerage. Special trains arrived yesterday and this morning and another train load is expected tomorrow morning. The work of loading is proceeding rapidly.

DEATH OF NOTED WOMAN IN ENGLAND

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SENDS PRICES DOWN

Calcutta, India, Dec. 14.—The transfer of the capital of India has had a serious financial effect, government bonds made a record fall of eight annas, sixteen cents, yesterday, and a further decline of three annas today. The shares of land owning companies are glutting the market, so great is the rush to sell property in Calcutta.

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The Evening Chit-Chat By RUTH CAMERON

WE often think we would not like to have other people to be able to read our minds. And yet how many times it falls only could see each other's minds instead of their deeds, their motives instead of their acts, misunderstandings which embitter might be avoided, and hearts which break might be whole.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 14. A.M. High Tide 6:40 Low Tide 1:04 Sun Rises 7:43 Sun Sets 4:08 The time used is Atlantic standard. PORT OF ST. JOHN. Sailed Yesterday. Star Lake Michigan, 5:30, Barry, London direct. MARINE NOTES. The Norwegian steamer Droning Maude arrived yesterday from Norfolk (Va) with 16,479 pieces of pine timber for Joseph A. Likely, Ltd. Queen Maude is the English interpretation, the steamer being named after the Norwegian queen.

Why doesn't she take NA-DRU-CO Headache Wafers They stop a headache promptly, yet do not irritate the stomach. No nausea, no vomiting, no dizziness. Drowsiness about them. 25c a box. NATIONAL DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED, 222

La MARQUISE de FONTENOY New Lord of British Admiralty Was Togo's Only Foreign Confidant — Blue Blood of the Bonapartes — The Bishop of Man

Captain William Pakenham, who has just been appointed a lord of the admiralty in the reorganization of the board in London consequent upon the transfer of Winston Churchill to the office of secretary of state, and head of the navy department, was the only foreigner on board Admiral Togo's flagship during the late war of Japan with Russia, six years ago. He was the only one to whom Togo confided his entire confidence throughout that memorable conflict, in which the secrecy of the Japanese commander's movements contributed largely to their success and to the victory of Japan.

There is no white naval officer, indeed, who possesses so much practical knowledge of naval warfare on a large scale, under the most modern conditions, as Captain Pakenham, and his position of trust, bestowed upon him by a lordship of the admiralty, usually held by an officer of flag rank. The captain, who is married, is a grandson of the second Earl of Longford, a nephew of the third and fourth earl, and a first cousin of the present earl, General Thomas Pakenham, a grandson of the Countess of Longford, in whose family the present Marquise de Fontenoy first created, married the eldest daughter of William Clarke, of New York, and there are a number of children and grandchildren all with a strain of American blood in their veins. Then there was General Sir Edward Pakenham, who commanded the British forces in the battle of New Orleans, in which he lost his life; while Sir Richard Pakenham spent a number of years in Washington as British envoy, after having previously distinguished himself as minister in Mexico, and in Lisbon.

Blue Blood of the Bonapartes

Bonapartes are so often described, both in print and in conversation, as "Corsican parvenus," of humble origin, that it may be just as well to explain that the ancestry of the most ancient Napoleon, and that of the great Emperor Napoleon, respectively also the present imperial pretender, Victor Napoleon, as well as the two American Bonapartes, one of them general in the present imperial administration, can boast of descent from Charlemagne. The Corsican Bonapartes, to whom the great Emperor Napoleon and his brothers belonged, were descended from a certain Francesco Bonaparte, who, in the year 1599, emigrated to Corsica from his native town of Sarzana, in the province of Genoa. He figures in contemporary Corsican records, still in existence, as "Francesco Bonaparte, surnamed Il moro di Sarzana." This Francesco Bonaparte descended in the male line direct, connected in a lineal descent, an unbroken line, to the present emperor, who, in 1804, was crowned emperor of France, and whose grand-grandfather, the late Emperor Napoleon, was descended from the same ancestor, Il moro di Sarzana, in the year 1599.

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Daily Hints For the Cook

MAGIC CAKE One-half cup butter, one cup sugar, one and a half cups flour, three eggs, three tablespoons milk, one teaspoon cream of tartar, half teaspoon soda. One cup of currants if liked. HERON ISLAND CAKE One and a half cups of sugar, half cup butter, two eggs beaten separately, then together, one cup milk, three cups of flour, one teaspoon cream of tartar, one half teaspoon of soda, or one and a half teaspoons baking powder, one large cup of fruit. Cover and cook slowly until apples are very soft. Turn into a coarse strainer and allow the juice to strain through. Do not press. Allow the juice to drip through a double thickness of cheese cloth or the jelly bag. Boil 20 minutes, add the usual quantity of sugar, or three-quarters as much may be used. Stir until sugar is dissolved. Boil five minutes and skim if necessary. Turn into glasses or jars, prepared as for preserving. That means to wash the tumblers or jars and surround with clean water filling them with it first. Set on a rest in the pan to prevent them from touching the bottom of it. Heat gradually until ready to fill them, then empty and fill. Let stand twenty-four hours and cover.

USUALLY ONE DOSE CURES INDIGESTION OR A BAD STOMACH

Heartburn, Gas, Dyspepsia And Other Stomach Misery Vanishes Promptly. There would not be a case of indigestion here or there, subject to the common-sense trouble known the tremendous antiferment and digestive virtue contained in Diastolic Tablets, which will get a sluggish or indigestive stomach to work again, and a heavy meal without the slightest fuss or discomfort, and where the source of the trouble is the stomach, and the stomach is not to be treated by any other means, Diastolic Tablets will cure a whole family of such trouble.

ENGLISHMEN GIVEN TERMS IN PRISON AS SPIES

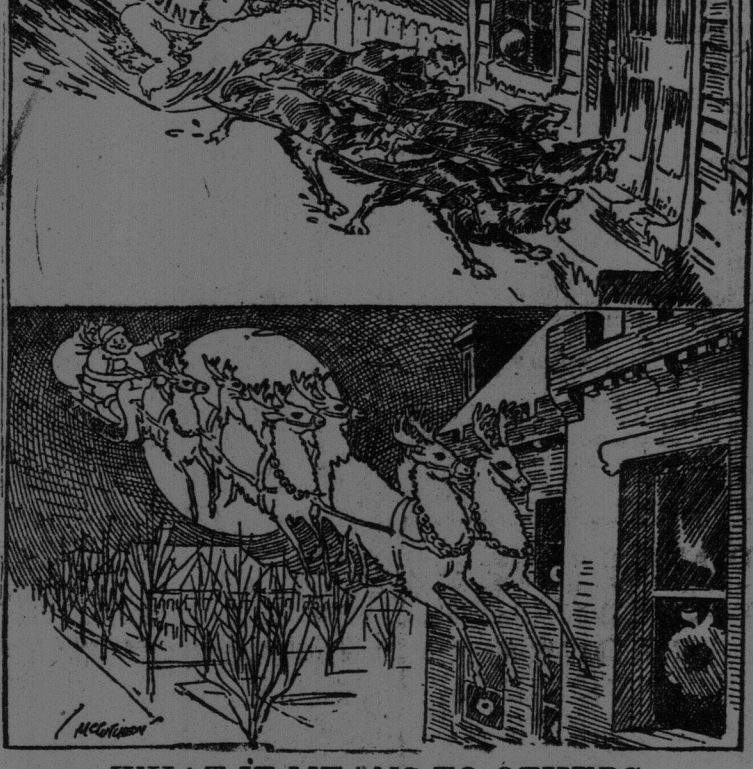
Leipzig, Germany, Dec. 13.—Heavy punishments were meted out today to English spies, arrested at Hamburg, on March 18, and who have been on trial behind closed doors, before the imperial court, for several days.

Their more or less dead wood in every family tree.

be, by reason of his office, the only lord of parliament, who although having a seat in the House of Lords and permitted to take part in its debates, is nevertheless debarred from voting. The episcopal See of Man comprises the Isle of Man, the first Bishop of which was Saint Germanus, consecrated as such by St. Patrick in 447, after converting the Manxmen to Christianity. As for Sodor, it is the name of a small village on Iona, where it is said an episcopal see was established in the ninth century by Pope Gregory IV. In 1093 Magnus, King of Norway, having conquered the Scotch Hebrides and the Isle of Man, united them under one Bishop, under whose jurisdiction they continued until well on towards the end of the fourteenth century, when England secured possession of the Isle of Man, since then the Bishop of the Island, although he has neither enjoyed nor exercised any jurisdiction in Sodor, has retained the ancient title, being still styled Bishop of Sodor and Man, a designation so little understood abroad that Dr. Dray, on one occasion found himself described in the visitors' book of an hotel at Bordeaux, as the "Evêque de Sydon." Sodor having suggested something in the nature of sparkling water.

The Handy Heater PERFECTION OIL HEATER You often need some heat in early Fall when you have just started the furnace. In whatever part of the house you want it, you can get it best and quickest with the Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater. The Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater is beautifully finished—can ornament anywhere. Drums of plain steel enameled in blue; nickel trimmings. A special automatic device makes smoking impossible. Burner body cannot become wedged. All parts cast in one piece. Dampers top. Cool handle. Dealers everywhere; write for descriptive circular to any agency.

WHAT WINTER MEANS TO SOME PEOPLE?



WHAT IT MEANS TO OTHERS

SOCIETY WOMEN IN NOVELS

(London Tit-Bits.) Although on one occasion E. F. Benson denied the allegation that Dodo, in his famous novel of that name, was really a literary portrait of Miss Margaret Tennant, who ultimately became Mrs. Asquith, the wife of the prime minister of England, there is such a marked similarity between the characteristics of Dodo and those of the Asquiths that it is generally considered that Mr. Benson must, to a certain extent at any rate, have been influenced by her in writing his famous novel. It is also said that Lady Ribblesdale, the sister of Mrs. Asquith, is the original of "Dodo."

The late Baroness Burdett-Coutts was undoubtedly the Angela Messenger of Benson's "All Sorts and Conditions of Men," while Florence Nightingale figured in quite a number of tales of the Crimean War, published after that terrible struggle had come to a conclusion.

Rational Home Remedy for Wrinkled, Raggy Skin

(From Life and Beauty.) Bathing the face with a simple, harmless lotion made as follows is the best thing I know of to remove wrinkles from the finest lines to the deepest groove: Powdered saffron, one ounce, dissolved in vitriolized, 12 1/2 ounce near-boiling sugar, can supply the constituents at a small cost. It is a mild and rational treatment, as it tends to remove the cause of these troubles, instead of waiting its turn for a seat, there being more seen than seats for the spiritual lords of the parliament in a stool at the extremity thereof. He has nevertheless some compensation for this treatment, having a repulsive position on the face, and his own in the Manx parliament, or so-called House of Keys. His salary is a small one, compared with those of his episcopal colleagues, amounting to but \$8,000 a year, as compared with the \$30,000 which is their average stipend. But, then living is cheap in the Isle of Man. The governor, Lord Raglan, gets only \$9,000 a year salary. MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

MORE Shaker Blankets We have just opened a few of those nice shaker blankets, which we were out of for some time. This is your chance to buy them at 25 per cent lower than you can buy them elsewhere. \$1.18 a pair for a large size heavy blanket. \$1.23 a pair for extra large size heavy blanket. 85c a pair for smaller size blankets.

WESTFIELD OUTING ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Westfield Outing Association was held last night in the board of trade rooms, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. J. Herbert Barton; vice-president, W. H. C. Mackay; secretary-treasurer, W. A. Church. The executive committee will be composed of the officers and the following members: H. B. Robinson, B. R. Macaulay, W. H. C. Mackay, G. M. A. Bizzard, Robert M. Magee, E. E. Church, John Frodham, R. N. Robertson, H. K. Clawson, E. A. Inchea, M. M. Jarvis, Alex. Thompson, Dr. W. F. Bennett, Alex. Macaulay. The following were elected members of the sailing committee: W. H. C. Mackay, W. A. Church, John Frodham, G. M. A. Bizzard, M. M. Jarvis, Harry Warwick, Dr. J. R. McIntosh, G. A. Hilyard, F. J. Lohley. The trustees chosen were Dr. J. H. Barton, B. R. Macaulay, E. E. Church. The following prize winners for the seasons races received their prizes: 1st motor boat prize, A. R. Cruikshank, Silver Spray; 2nd motor boat prize, W. C. Rothwell, Idler; 3rd motor boat prize, T. E. Ryder, Fairbanks.

WESTFIELD OUTING ASSOCIATION

It was decided to hold the annual winter excursion, and also the midwinter excursion, though dates were not fixed. The various reports submitted showed the association to be in fine condition, this being the first year that the balance was on the right side.

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WAR MEDAL FOR WOMAN IS REQUEST

Honor For Brave Mathilde Anchin Is Long Delayed IN FRENCH ARMY

"Gunner" Anchin She Was And Her Story is a Fascinating One of the Troublesome Times of 1870-71, the "Terrible Year" (London Express Correspondent.) Paris, Nov. 29.—The French minister of war received yesterday morning a letter signed Mathilde Anchin, nee Deunckinck. The letter was a formal demand, spelled quite phonetically, for the war medal of 1870-1—the medal with the green and red ribbon, of which the first was given to the King of Serbia, the second will go to Lord Kitchener, and which is to be given to all French combatants who took an active part in "The Terrible Year," as Frenchmen always call it. There was some laughter in the War Office over Mme. Anchin's quaintly spelled letter. Then the proper officials looked into her demand, and found it perfectly justified by the facts. For Mme. Mathilde Anchin, now eighty-three years old, was not only a cantiniere of the 9th Regiment of Artillery, but fought, and fought very bravely, for her country. She was taken prisoner by the Bavarians, and made good her escape after eight months' captivity. A little while hence in a little white village a few miles from Douai, "Mme. Mathilde Anchin, please," "Grandmother won't be back till nearly seven," answered a tall girl of sixteen. "She is at work now. She goes out to Courcelles-lez-Lens every morning at six, and does not get back until supper time."

Seven Small Children She lives with her son Edouard, a widower of thirty-seven, in the little white cottage near Douai, Edouard Anchin is a widower and childless. But a brother of his who did not turn out well left a family of seven small orphans a few years ago, and "Granny Anchin" and her son have adopted the family. You see, "Gunner Anchin" and Edouard are rich. Edouard earns half a crown every day except Sunday, and has earned as much as three shillings. He only has to work from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m. all the past six or seven, and from six o'clock in winter till six or half-past six for that comfortable sum. "Grandmother" Anchin has a pension. She draws £15 10s. 6d. annually in quarterly payments from a grateful country, because she was wounded at Wissembourg, where, incidentally, she saved a life or two, captured a cannon from the enemy, and then was taken prisoner. And she earns one and sixpence a day for her work. These two capitalists, mother and son adopted the seven little orphans, and have made them very happy. They had never known, during their father's lifetime, just what it was to have enough to eat and drink, but by working early and late, and by saving their pennies, "Gunner Anchin" and her son Edouard (who is a chip of the old block), have made it all seven of them the upstanding, healthy girls and boys, some of whom earn their keep already, and all of whom glow with health, happiness, and cleanliness. "Here's Gran," shouted Edouard Anchin the younger, darting down the road. And a handsome old woman with a mop cap, a wrinkled mahogany face, and the monochromatic, well-worn, blue-shod hands with the "mosses" from Paris. The Soldier's Story "The really very little to tell, you know," said "Gunner Anchin," "but old soldiers always love to talk of their campaigns, do they not?" "I nodded. "Gunner Anchin" untied the strings of her mob cap, drank a large glass of milk with just a dash of rum in it, and, "Wissembourg it was you know," she said, protruding a large-sized leg in a purple laced stocking. I feel it every now and then when the weather is damp. "And I knitted the stockings for the Gunner," shouted Mlle. Yvonne, a young woman of eight, who was promptly suppressed and sent to fetch some logs of wood from the small shed behind the house. "Yes, it was Wissembourg," went on the Gunner. "As my husband was in the 9th Artillery, I had enlisted, too, as cantiniere, and when the fighting became fierce, I was ordered to go to the front. The combined weight of the ten members of the police force of Gardiner, Me., 2922 pounds, an average of 291.2 pounds. Michael Cusick, who weighs 289 pounds, is the heaviest man and Warren F. Tozier, who weighs 184 pounds, is the lightest. "I couldn't keep away from it, somehow. "It was immense fun, and I managed to be useful, too. I picked a gun up from a dead man's side, and shot three Germans with it. One of our generals was shot dead within three yards of me, and an aide-de-camp yelled to me to get out of the firing line. He'd lost his head a bit, poor boy. "You'll be killed, if you don't; this is no place for women," he shouted, as he turned his horse. "Then go and send some men along." I answered, "There was a gun, you see. One of our guns. All alone. A lot of Germans wanted it, and I could not see why they should have it. I hadn't any more ammunition, but I knew how to use the butt, and I drove the rounds away from our gun with it. It wasn't really difficult. "They laughed at me at the idea of a woman whacking at them with a gun butt that I scattered them like a lot of chickens. And then our fellows came back, and we kept the gun. But half an hour after that a bullet found me, and before the day was over my husband and I were taken prisoners, and were hurried away in cattle vans by train to Lichtenthal. There was a Bavarian camp there. When we got to Lichtenthal, I hid his gun and bayonet under my clothes, and strolled away from camp and hurried them. A few days later I helped a Frenchman to escape, and he took them back to France with him. I lived for eight months in that prisoners' camp. There were two thousand of us there. I did very well, too. I was allowed to buy food in the village, which I sold to the French prisoners. "Then my husband and I and another man got away together. We got to Bale by boat from Constantine, and at last got per Anchin" filled a small black pipe, it, and asked me whether I thought the authorities would let her "join again" if man. And now I want that medal. If there were another war with Germany, I have not forgotten my German," she said, "and time hangs a bit heavy on my hands sometimes."

People are getting Suggestions from Our Windows If YOU Wish to Give a Practical, Substantial, Good Wearing Gift You Will Read This Story Through You get more Suggestions from Interior Displays

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N. Curry Says That 1912 Promises Bigger Output Than 1911 Montreal, Dec. 14.—Although Canadian car builders are shut out from the United States by a prohibitory tariff, which works out to the disadvantage of the dominion in every instance, the building is developing rapidly according to N. Curry, president of the Canadian Car and Foundry Co., Ltd. This year's output of the concern will foot up to \$12,500,000 and he thinks that the figure for 1912 will reach at least \$16,000,000 for the good reason that they have about \$10,000,000 worth of orders for next year already on their books and the total will be perhaps seventeen and a half millions before the end of next year.

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Having a set of new sign markers, I have just received. Print your own Christmas cards and price tickets. No retail business can afford to be without them; saves you all kinds of money. Also everything in rubber stamps, dates, automatic numbering machines, stencils, high class brass sign work. R. J. Logan, 13 Germain street, opp. Canadian Bank

STOVES

GOOD LINE of Second Hand Stoves, well repaired, will sell cheap; also new stoves of all kinds, 165 Brunsell street. Phone 1368-11. H. Milroy.

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CHECK THAT COUGH

This is a bad time of year to have a cough—unless it is checked you are likely to have a troublesome companion the whole winter long. And then a cough may lead to something serious.

USE HAWKER'S BALSAM OF TOLU AND WILD CHERRY

a remedy prepared by an expert for the quick curing of any cough or cold. Hundreds will testify to the curative powers of this famous cough medicine. Ask your druggist. Registered Number 1295. None genuine without it.

THE CANADIAN DRUG CO., LTD. St. John, N. B.

Your Liver is Clogged up That's Why You're Tired—One of These—Have You Applied CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will put you right in a few days. They do their duty. Carters Little Liver Pills. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. Genuine Signature.

DOLL BARGAINS During the past two weeks we have sold several hundred dolls. Owing to the splendid value we are giving, and the big demand, our first consignment was nearly gone before our second shipment arrived. Today we are offering what we believe is the best doll value ever shown in the province. Beautiful Dressed Dolls from 25c to \$5.00. Nice Undressed Dolls from 25c up. Undressed Kid from 25c to \$2.50, Nice Fat Mamma Dolls \$1.00. A few Comic Dolls going at 10c. Dolls' Houses from 50c to \$1.00. A few sets Dolls' Furniture still on hand. Don't forget our twenty per cent. discount given in coupons.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES Sir Charles Tupper is said to be seriously ill at his home in London, suffering with bronchitis. The Halifax exhibition of 1912 is not to be opened until Sept. 31, and Premier Borden will officiate. The Duke of Connaught could not be in Halifax at the desired date. Serious accusations have been made against Rev. Charles Brewer, Baptist pastor in Quebec, Que., formerly chaplain in the U. S. army. He is accused by a private in the force of having been responsible for the death of a private. The cause is said to have been revenge for being dismissed because of unbecoming actions. James M. Thompson, of Manhattan, broke his leg in a fall on Monday, and on account of his age the accident may result seriously. Rev. J. E. Purdie, formerly curate in St. Luke's church, St. John, was yesterday indicted by Bishop Richardson as rector of the Anglican church in Campbellton. The bishop preached a eloquent sermon. The steamer Delta's royal travellers, Princess Louise and her husband, the Duke of Fife, sister and brother-in-law of King George, were yesterday received by a British minister, assisted by a French consul. The princess and her husband with their daughters had to drive six miles in a snowstorm. Several French sailors were drowned while attempting the rescue. London, Dec. 13—Lady Constance Foljambe, a half sister of the Earl of Liverpool, comptroller of the King's household, who created a sensation in London on July 3 by falling to appear at church at the time appointed for her marriage to the Rev. A. H. K. Hawkins, has again announced her marriage to a man who is quietly marrying Mr. Hawkins this afternoon.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY SPECIAL FARES FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR FIRST CLASS ONE WAY FARE BETWEEN ALL STATIONS ON THE RAILWAY. Good for Return Dec. 21, 1911, to Jan. 1, 1912. Good for Return Jan. 3, 1912. TO DETROIT, PORT HURON, SALLIE STE. MARIE, BUENA VISTA, NIAGARA FALLS AND POINTS EAST IN CANADA. FIRST CLASS ONE WAY FARE TO MONTREAL, added to First Class One Way Fare and One Third Beyond.

CANADIAN PACIFIC THE SHORT DIRECT ROUTE ST. JOHN TO MONTREAL L. V. St. John, 5:55 p.m. Ar. Montreal, 8:30 a.m. CLOSE CONNECTIONS FOR ALL POINTS BEYOND No Changes or Transfers. NEW ELECTRIC LIGHTED SLEEPERS—ON CANADIAN PACIFIC Halifax - St. John-Montreal Trail The Best Dining Car Service The Only Line Operating Com-partment Cars Montreal and Ottawa to Toronto Montreal and Toronto to Vancouver W. B. ROBERTS, D.P.A., C.P.E., ST. JOH. N. B.

WHERE HE FAILED In business he was cool as ice, he always kept a level head. He bought things at the lowest prices; by schemes he never was misled; He knew just what to do and what to do it, and he knew the way To get the best work out of men, and when to speak and what to say. But get him in society, surrounded by young women fair, His mental balance seemed to flee, he'd go completely in the air. His business judgment was immense, he seemed to see through every bluff; He had a lot of good hard sense, it got a lot—be had enough; He never was flustered or dismayed, no man could talk him off his feet; In any sort of deal or trade he was a person hard to beat. But get him in society, where women were and soft lights burned, One little word of flattery would have put him head completely turned.

The Holiday Season Means a lot of extra cooking and preparations of dainty things to eat. When Cream is to be Used Make sure it is rich and sweet by getting it here. The coffee will taste better, the layer cake will be richer, the fruits more delicious. Our cream is best by test. ST. JOHN CREAMERY 52 King Street. If riches didn't have wings there would be but few high fliers.

Bargains for the Week at The 2 Barkers, Ltd. Strathcona Best Blend Flour, \$3.40. Five Shamuks Manitoba Flour, \$6.10. Charro's Best Manitoba Flour, \$6.20. Apples from \$1.00 a barrel up. 4 Packages Corn Starch 25c. 1 Pound Pure Cream Tartar, 25c. 8 Bars Barker's Soap, 25c. 100 Princess St., 448 Main St., 111 Brunsell St., and 248 King St., West. Best Orange and Lemon Peel, 13c. a lb. 1 Pound Regular 40c. Tea only 25c. Regular 5c. Dressed dolls, only 25c. Regular 25c. Dolls 15c. Regular 25c. Picture Books only 10c. package.

I. CHESTER BROWN'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE OF DRY GOODS

Your Money Will Go One-Third Further if You Do Your Shopping Here

Table listing various goods and their prices, including Black Purses, Hand Bags, Umbrellas, Suits, and Underwear.

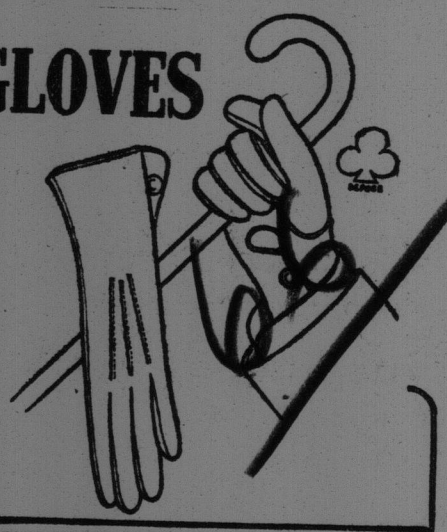
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All New Goods But We Must Reduce Our Stock I. CHESTER BROWN, - 32-36 King Sq.

PERRIN GLOVES

A glove for any occasion in every shade, length, style.



NOVEMBER RECORD SHOWS MORE TRADE DISPUTES IN CANADA

Ottawa, Dec. 13—According to the labor department's strike record, there were thirteen trade disputes in existence during November, being three more than in October and six more than in November, 1910.

Suffered With Nerve Trouble For Two Years.

IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM TO SLEEP. Increases of the nervous system are very common.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will do this for you, providing you give them a fair trial.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 20 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25.

ASSOCIATION TO GUARD HEALTH IN CANADA

Duke and Duchess at Inaugural Meeting in Montreal—What Governments Will do

Montreal, Dec. 13—A brilliant start was given to the inaugural meeting of the Canadian Public Health Association to-night at the convention hall of the Royal Victoria College.

Hon. Martin Barrell, federal minister of public health, presided at the opening of the proceedings.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

CANADA'S TRADE WITH UNITED STATES HAS GROWN VERY MUCH

Increase of More Than \$61,000,000 in a Year, and Less Than \$2,500,000 With Britain

Ottawa, Dec. 21—During the last fiscal year Canada's trade with the United States increased by no less than \$61,000,000.

The increased trade with Great Britain during the year was only \$2,500,000 as compared with an increase of \$2,500,000 with Germany, and \$1,700,000 with France.

Imports from the United States last year totalled \$284,225,221, an increase over the preceding year of \$11,200,000.

Exports of Canadian products to the United States last year totalled \$112,150,000, an increase of \$11,200,000.

The Canadian government will next entertain the delegates to the International Marine Association Conference at Philadelphia at the conclusion of the conference in July.

An appropriation of \$20,000 will be placed in the estimates for the coming year to defray the cost of the trip through Canadian waters.

TELEPHONE SIGNAL PREVENTED BURGLARY

London, Dec. 14—A burglary at the Hackney Palace Theatre was frustrated in an extraordinary manner.

Don't boast of your knowledge. Practically all you know is what you have read or have been told.

GOOD BYE!



How the American cartoonist views the retirement of John D. Rockefeller from the presidency of the Standard Oil.

ISSUE VERY FINE CHRISTMAS CARDS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Raphael Tuck & Sons Ltd. Have a Magnificent Series for the Season's Exchange of Greetings This Year

The book stores and other places of business where Christmas cards and special Christmas publications may be expected to be found on sale are again displaying the reproductions of art studies in cards and Christmas novelties as well as calendars.

Luc La Nonne, Alta. Dec. 13 (Special)—If you have kidney trouble of any kind, don't know how to cure it, ask your neighbors.

WHEN AILING ASK YOUR NEIGHBORS

That's How Magnus Johnson Got Relief From Kidney Troubles

They Told Him to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills—He Did and His Backache and Other Sickness Speedily Vanished

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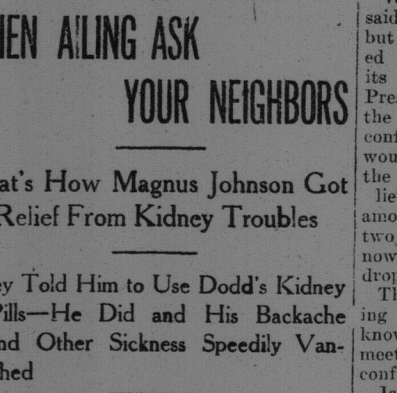
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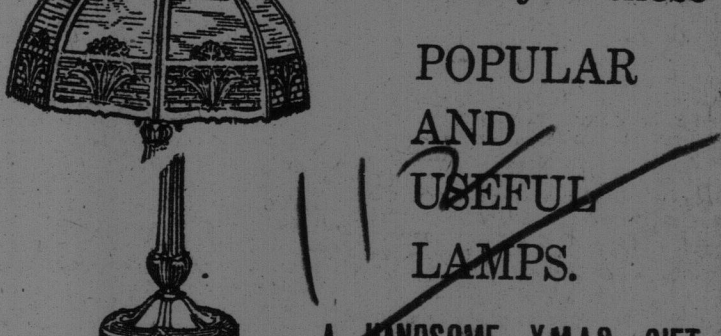


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FIVE DOCTORS GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Said She Would Die of Kidney Trouble

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HER

MOUNTAIN, Ont., Dec. 14th, 1911. For six years I suffered from dreadful Kidney Disease. My legs and lower part of my body were fearfully swollen, and the pain was awful. My people thought sometimes I was dead; as I would rise from the agony, five different doctors would come and give me no hope of getting well, and mentioned the case of Mrs. Fearley, who was cured by them.

SOLVING PROBLEM OF SEEING BY WIRE

Russian Professor Has System Which is Declared to be Feasible

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—The problem of seeing by wires is gradually being solved, although the difficulties to be overcome before any general results will be obtained are still very great. One of the new systems is that of Professor Roing, of the Technological Institute of St. Petersburg. It depends on the "seeing power" for sensitiveness to light, of what is termed a photo-electric instrument.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the semi-annual meeting of the carpenters held in their rooms, Opera House building, last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Albert Williams, president; Hedley Fairweather, vice-president; George Redmore, treasurer; James S. Jewett, secretary; H. M. Pratt, recording secretary; Thomas Moore, conductor; Frederick Bailey, warden; John Irvine, William Williams, William Peterson, auditors; John Scott, trustee; George Redmore, James Le Sage, and George Brown were appointed delegates to the convention to be held by the Trades & Labor Council for the purpose of choosing candidates to contest the civic and local elections.

ASKED HER DRUGGIST TO GIVE HER SOMETHING.

She Had a Bad Cold, So He Recommended Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Mrs. James Warren, Edmonton, Alta., writes:—"Just a few words in favor of your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. A short time ago I contracted a bad cold, and tried several remedies, but had no good results. I asked my druggist to give me some good cold medicine, and he recommended I should try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and I can safely say I have never tried anything like it. The first dose gave me relief, and I was completely cured of my cough before I had finished one bottle. It is the best cough remedy I have ever tried, and I can recommend it to everyone."

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Dillon and warned the council of the consequences of "standing against the Irish parliamentary party." At the conclusion of Mr. Russell's speech, Lord Lansdowne to Sir Horace Plunkett denied a statement that they had ever admitted that the I. A. O. S. had shown hostility to an English agricultural or any body of traders in the country.

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ASSESSMENT CHANGES ARE DECIDED ON

Important Step Taken Last Evening By the Common Council

NEW ORDER IN 1913

The Investigating Committee Report in the Keirstead Matter Goes Back to Allow of Further Probe of Officials' Action

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St. John's greatest bargain event now in the zenith of its great and glorious success. Never before such a volume of business. No wonder, never before such bargains. To keep the bargains fresh in your memory we again quote a few prices.

MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS

Worth \$10.00, going at \$4.98

MEN'S PANTS

88c. to \$2.98, were \$1.50 to \$3.50

EXTRA SPECIAL! RUBBERS

Children's, 25c. Girls', 35c. Women's, 48c. Boys', 58c. Men's, 68c.

EXTRA SPECIAL! OVERSHOES

Children's Two Buckle, \$1.18

Girls' Two Buckle, 1.28

Women's Two Buckle, 1.48

Men's One Buckle, 0.98

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Don't miss these bargains because you live far away, take the cars we pay the fares, ask for the tickets when you make your purchase.

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Corner Main and Bridge Streets

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At the first session of the inquest into the death of James Ryder, killed by a street car in Main street, Tuesday evening, which began in Chamberlain's undertaking rooms last night at 9 o'clock, Charles B. Campbell, an eye witness, gave a very complete account of the accident and adjournment was taken until Tuesday evening.

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Only One "BROMO QUININE" that Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

Drifting Dan Well, you see, after I'd treated myself to a champagne supper at Paris, I was a bit tipsy and the water there wasn't much of it left, sir.—Sydney Bulletin.

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Ladies' Skirts
Lace Waists
Girls' Dresses
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Children's Coats
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PRETTY BOXES FOR ALL GIFTS

1000 Boxes of Handkerchiefs
2 Handkerchiefs in fancy box for 25c
These include H. S. Embroidered Hdks, lace edges, lace corners, scalloped borders and Swiss Checks.
REAL LACE HANDKERCHIEFS
PLAIN AND EMBROIDERED LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS
From 3 for 10c to \$1 each
KID GLOVES
A special shipment just opened up for Christmas. Fresh, soft selected skins, two-clasp fastening in Mid and Dark Tans, Brown, Grey and Black, \$1 the pair. Each pair in pretty box.
Other prices in Kid Gloves, 69c, 75c, 79c, \$1 and \$1.25
Neckwear of all Kinds.

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A lot purchased from a manufacturer at a spot cash price that enables us to sell them at almost half their usual price. They are worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00 each, made of silk and wool taffeta covering with a paragon frame, 20th century runner, and real ebony horn and silver handle. Two prices in this lot \$1.00 and \$1.25. They are simply wonderful value and would make excellent gifts.
Of course, we have other priced Umbrellas for ladies and men ranging from 50 cents up to \$5.00.

THOSE NEW YORK HAND BAGS

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White Foxline Sets, \$2.25, \$3.75, \$4.50
Grey Lamb Muffs, \$3.50 to \$7.00
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Is exactly the sort of gift a man will mostly appreciate. It is an easy matter therefore to choose from the following list a gift that will at once appeal to "him" as something given for his personal use.

- FUR LINED GLOVES \$2.25 and \$2.50
WOOL LINED GLOVES \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, 2.25
LINED HANDKERCHIEFS 20c, 25c, 35c, 45c.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS 25c and 50c.
EXCELSA HANDKERCHIEFS, 10c.
FANCY SUSPENDERS (In neat Xmas. box) 50c, 75c, 85c.
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TIES Special line, each tie put up in a dainty box, 50 cents. Other lines of Ties, 25 cents.

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THIS EVENING

Concert in St. Philip's church. Farmers' supper in Temple building. Lecture by Rev. J. T. Tucker in Congregational school room. Lecture by Mrs. E. G. McLean in Bruce street Baptist school room. Meeting of St. John Art Club. Bowing in Intersociety, City and Commercial Leagues. Motion pictures, singing and orchestra at Nickel. Motion pictures and vaudeville at the Lyric. Pictures, orchestra and singing at the Gem. Moving pictures and singing at the Unique. Motion pictures and singing at the Star.

LOCAL NEWS

SONS OF ENGLAND. Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, will, this evening, elect their officers for 1912, in their hall, Charlotte street.

MUSIC FOR CALAIS. A Chapman concert, under the auspices of the St. Croix festival chorus, will be given in Calais on Monday evening, Jan. 15.

Y. M. C. A. The members of the Senior Bible classes of the Y. M. C. A. enjoyed their usual Wednesday night supper in the institution last night. The supper was served by the ladies' auxiliary.

APPOINTED. Edward Brittain, of the North End, has received an appointment to the permanent staff of letters-carriers in this city, and expects to take up his new duties at an early date.

AN A. O. H. BOOM. Chatham Commercial—Since the visit of J. J. Regan, national president of the A. O. H., to this district, the society has gone ahead amazingly in less than seventy new members having been initiated in the last few weeks.

POLICE COURT. In the police court this morning four prisoners charged with drunkenness were dealt with in the usual way. The cases against Israel, Morris and Hyman Goldberg will be continued in the police court tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

ANOTHER REPORT. George Cusack has been reported by the police for making an opening in the road in front of his house in Marsh Bridge without having a necessary permit. This is the matter for which Engineer Murdoch was reported a few days ago.

THE CLARK CASE. The preliminary examination of Harry B. Clark, the former manager of the Charlotte street branch of the Bank of New Brunswick, which has been postponed several times, will come up again on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, and, as his counsel, Geo. W. Fowler, of Sussex, will be in the province, it is expected that the hearing will be proceeded with on that occasion.

HIT WITH BULLET. Joseph Perry, aged thirteen years, has been reported for discharging an air rifle in Lullow street, west end, and for striking William Donahue in the forehead with a bullet. It is said that the young fellow was discharging the rifle in the street when Mr. Donahue while walking along the street was struck with a bullet, just above one of his eyes. The boy will be brought before the court Saturday morning.

MRS. JAMES BRAYDON. The Times some days ago noted the death of Mrs. Mattie Braydon in Dorchester, Mass., on Dec. 7. She was the wife of James Braydon and was before marriage, Miss Dunham, of German Brook, Kings county. Soon after her marriage to Mr. Braydon, who was then proprietor of the Lock Leonard Hotel, she came to this business in this city, they went to Dorchester and had since resided there. She had many warm friends in this city who will learn of her death with regret. She is survived by her husband, three daughters—Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. William Geary and Miss Edith, all of Dorchester; and one son, James, of Salem, Mass. The funeral took place on Sunday, Dec. 10.

GOOD CHEER AT CHRISTMAS TIDE

Salvation Army Plans for Helping Poor of the City
With the approach of the Xmas season the Salvation Army, as in previous years, is preparing to play an active part in bringing cheer and relief to the poor of the community. Major Taylor the divisional commander, is directing the arrangements assisted by a special board. The commanding officers of the city who are constantly in touch with the poorer sections, are reporting to the board the distressing cases in their respective districts and suitable arrangements are being made to meet the needs of such.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Boston Globe reports the return of District Deputy Joseph J. Murley of Boston, after conferring degrees for the Knights of Columbus in St. John and says: "The occasion was made a gala event by the council, and members and high officials of the order from nearly all the Canadian provinces were present in large numbers to witness the ceremony. It was pronounced by all one of the best degrees that has been held in that section since the order was instituted there. "All of the Boston delegation are loud in their praise of the treatment accorded them by the knights of the maritime provinces. Thursday evening they were the guests of Grand Knight O'Brien at a banquet held in the Union Club. Every courtesy was extended them during their stay in the city, automobile rides and receptions taking up almost every moment of the time.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN

Waterloo, Port Natal, Oct. 14 for St. John via United Kingdom.
Kwara, Tampico, Nov. 29 for St. John, via American ports.
Hungarian, Havre, Nov. 25.
Salacia, Glasgow, Dec. 2.
Happahannock, London, Dec. 6.
Hesperian, Liverpool, Dec. 8.
Rastalia, Glasgow, Dec. 8.
Sardinian, London, December 8.

SAILS INTO PORT; FLAG AT HALF-MAST

Frank Sullivan Drowned From the Pilot Boat Troop in Bay This Morning
With a heavy gale blowing, and strong sea running about twelve miles to the south of Point Lepreaux just about daybreak this morning, Frank Sullivan, a bright young apprentice aboard the pilot boat H. D. Troop, lost his balance and in a few moments was engulfed in the raging water, while his friends aboard made futile efforts to save him. He had been an apprentice of three months' standing, and was popular with all along the water front, because of his pleasing disposition and his readiness to oblige. His sad death is deeply regretted by all who knew him.

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D'Oyles,
Centres,
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Rubber Coat,
Dress or Wrapper,
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